

**GUIDED MISSILE AND ASTRONAUTICS INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE**

12 June 1961

**MEMORANDUM FOR: Members, Guided Missile and Astronautics Intelligence Committee**

**SUBJECT : GMAIC Contribution to NIE 4-3-61**

**REFERENCE : ONE Memo dtd 7 June Subj: NIE 4-3-61:  
Nuclear Weapons and Delivery Capabilities  
of "Nth" Countries**

1. As you will note from the referenced Terms of Reference, GMAIC will provide a major contribution. In anticipation of this a memo in the nature of an alert notice was forwarded you on 10 May (Nth Country Estimate - SECRET). It is hoped that the actions suggested have been accomplished.

2. To prepare the basic GMAIC draft, I recommend re-forming the same ad hoc working group that did the recent French Estimate (SNIE 22-61). Since the current estimate is of much broader scope, I believe an expanded membership is required. As a minimum I would recommend representation from Army, Navy, Air Force and CIA - and any others who may be able to contribute. Representation on the Working Group need not be a single individual but rather can be individuals within these organizations specializing in the various areas under consideration. Mr. Flowerree, State Department will, as with the French Estimate, chair the group.

3. It is requested that GMAIC Members telephone names of Working Group Members as soon as possible to the GMAIC Secretariat so that the Chairman of the Group can hold a meeting very soon. You will note from the Terms of Reference that the deadline for the GMAIC contribution is 17 July - prompt action is therefore required.

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Acting Chairman